



State of Tennessee

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 231

By Senators Berke, Watson, Harper

and

Representative McCormick

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Susan Stein on being named a 2011 Chattanooga Woman of Distinction by the American Lung Association.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, on May 3, 2011, Susan Stein will be recognized as a 2011 Chattanooga Woman of Distinction by the American Lung Association at the organization's 26th Annual Women of Distinction Awards Luncheon; and

WHEREAS, to be held at the Chattanooga Convention Center, this prestigious event honors a number of women who have distinguished themselves in their professional, civic, and volunteer service; the event also benefits the important work of the American Lung Association in Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the owner of SCS Designs, Susan Stein is a wardrobe consultant and retailer of the clothing line Etcetera in Chattanooga; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Stein earned a degree in Interior Design from the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga (UTC), and became associated with the Hunter Museum's volunteer association in 1993, where she currently serves as a member of the Board of Trustees; and

WHEREAS, she is actively involved with the Children's Home Chambliss Shelter, for which she served as Chairman of the Board in 2010, and she is a board member of the Association of Visual Arts; and

WHEREAS, widowed as a young mother, Susan Stein appreciates firsthand the difficulties single parents oftentimes face as they try to juggle the demands of school and work with the necessity of securing quality, affordable childcare; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her laudable involvement with the Church of the Good Shepherd, of which she is a devout member, Mrs. Stein enjoys travelling as a Fellow with the National Tropical Botanical Gardens, as well as tennis and walking on Lookout Mountain; and

WHEREAS, she is perhaps most appreciative of the love and companionship she shares with her husband, Taylor, her daughter, Caroline, and step-daughters Catherine and Emily; and

WHEREAS, epitomizing the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean, Mrs. Stein takes her place among the many noble citizens who have earned this State the nickname of "The Volunteer State"; and

WHEREAS, the success of the State of Tennessee, the strength of our communities, and the overall vitality of our society depend, in great measure, on the dedication of people like Susan Stein, who use their considerable talents and resources to serve others; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Susan Stein on being named a 2011 Chattanooga Woman of Distinction by the American Lung Association, thank her for all she has done to make Chattanooga and this State a better place to live and work, and extend to her our best wishes for much continued success in the future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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ADOPTED: May 2, 2011



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 13th day of May 2011



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR